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MEMORANDUM FOR: NFIB Representatives

FROM:

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SUBJECT:

Implications of C-130 Sale to Algeria

- 1. The Department of State has requested an interagency intelligence assessment on the above subject. Specifically the assessment addresses Moroccan and Tunisian reaction, the relative military strengths of the Maghreb countries, likely Algeria use of the aircraft and the sale's impact on the Western Sahara conflict. The assessment is being prepared under the auspices of NIO/NESA.
- 2. In view of State's request for a coordinated IIA by COB Thursday, October 7, NIO/NESA has asked CIA/DDI to prepare a first draft (attached). We propose to coordinate this draft telephonically and would appreciate your comments no later than 1200 Thursday, October 7. Coordination is at the working level. Please phone your comments to my

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Attachment: As Stated

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